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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are the following documents:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement;
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 listing twelve (12) references, copies of which are enclosed; and
- (X) A return prepaid postcard.

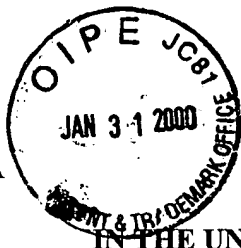
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing twelve (12) references that are also enclosed. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of this application, and no fee is required in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(1).

Respectfully submitted,

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